

All events are in the **Toyota Auditorium** at the **Baker Center**, unless noted otherwise.



Webinar: The Promise of Universities in School Reform
JANUARY 31, 3:00 PM

Bob Kronick, professor and director of University Assisted Community Schools will discuss his work and lead a follow-up discussion.

Film: Inequality for All
FEBRUARY 17, 6:30 PM

Watch this award-winning film with former Labor Secretary **Robert Reich** as he explores the widening economic gap in the United States. Hosted by the **UT Econ Club** with support from UT Libraries and the College of Law.

Federal Budget Simulation: Principles & Priorities
FEBRUARY 19, 5:15 PM

A federal budget negotiation simulation, designed by the **Concord Coalition**, will provide a better sense of the forces which impact fiscal policy decisions. Hosted by the **UT Econ Club** with support from the College of Law.



BAKER CAFÉ

Held in the Baker Center Reading Room

JANUARY 29, 10:00 AM

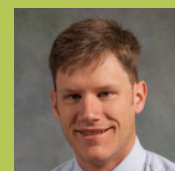
Matt Murray, professor of economics & Baker Center director, "The Economy & Public Policy."



MURRAY

FEBRUARY 25, 2:00 PM

Charles Sims, research professor of economics, "The Environment & Policy Issues."



SIMS

MARCH 27, 9:30 AM

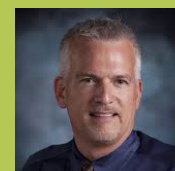
David Greene, research professor of economics & Baker Fellow, "Transportation Issues in Public Policy."



GREENE

APRIL 21, 1:30 PM

Joe Stainback, research associate professor of nuclear engineering, "Global Security & Policy."



STAINBACK

Ashe Lecture

Ambassador Cameron Munter
MARCH 5, 5:30 PM

Beyond 2014: American Relations with Pakistan
Ambassador Munter (Pakistan, 2010-12, Serbia 2007-09) is a career diplomat with additional service in Iraq, the Czech Republic, and Poland. Presently, he serves as a professor of international relations at Pomona College.



The Art of the Watchdog

MARCH 27, 5:30 PM

David Eichenath will discuss his new book of the same name about the role of watchdogs in improving efficiency and effectiveness in government and increasing public confidence. Eichenath is a director with Public Financial Management in Chattanooga. Book signing to follow.

Empowering Women & Sports

Diplomacy Panel

APRIL 3

Evan Ryan, assistant secretary, Bureau of Educational & Cultural Affairs. Will feature a panel of coaches and students from the Republic of Korea, Turkey, Lebanon, Argentina, Kazakhstan, and Nigeria, as well as the UT Center for Sport, Peace & Society and the US State Department.

Baker Forum on Energy and the Environment

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THURSDAYS, 3:30-5:00 PM

JANUARY 30

Elena Bennett, Natural Resource Sciences (McGill University)



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FEBRUARY 27

Rob McDonald, Urban Sustainability (The Nature Conservancy)



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MARCH 13

Christina Prell, Sociology (University of Maryland, Maryland Population Research Center)



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APRIL 10

Sheila Olmstead, Public Affairs (University of Texas at Austin)



OLMSTEAD



Distinguished Global Security Lecture

APRIL 21, 5:30 PM

Iran: Defender or Disrupter of Regional Security?
Haleh Esfandiari, director, Middle East Program, Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars.

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